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Fire departments share in federal grant funds

The Northville Township Fire Department and the City of Northville Fire Department have been awarded federal grants to upgrade outdated equipment.

According to U.S. Senators Debbie Stabenow and Gary Peters, the City of Northville will receive $471,838 and Northville Township $254,545 as part of $1,332,004 awarded to fire departments in five Michigan communities. These grants come from both the Federal Emergency Management Agency Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG) program and the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) grants program.

> *I'm pleased to announce this funding, which will help departments in Southeast Michigan do their jobs safely and effectively.*

"Our firefighters in Southeast Michigan put their lives on the line to protect our families, homes, and communities," said Stabenow. "These new resources will provide critical training and give our first responders the equipment they need to better serve the public and do their jobs more safely and effectively."

"Michigan's first responders help make our communities safe places to live, work and raise a family," said Peters. "I'm pleased to announce this funding, which will help departments in Southeast Michigan do their jobs safely and effectively."

Eligible fire departments and Emergency Medical Services organizations in Michigan and across the country can apply for Assistance to Firefighters Grants and Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response grants. AFG grants help first responders purchase the equipment and obtain the training needed to handle fire-related hazards. SAFER grants are designed to strengthen the nation's ability to respond to fire and fire-related hazards, the officials said. More information about the grants can be found at http://www.fema.gov/firegrants.

In addition to the Northville communities, grants were awarded in the amount of $443,106 for the City of Auburn Hills, $113,334 for Hazel Park, and $49,181 for the City of Roseville.

The Revolutionary 60s

Museum exhibit recreates decade of change across America

Julie Brown
Staff Writer

From baseball cards to a blue 1965 Mustang convertible, the current exhibit on the 1960s at the Plymouth Historical Museum offers plenty of learning and fun.

Mary Thackston, exhibits coordinator, is pleased with the many items members have loaned the museum, at 155 S. Main St. in downtown Plymouth.

"It was just interesting to look back on everything, and so much happened," said Plymouth Township resident Thackston. "So many things happened. You have some newspapers of the times. The music was great, the best music."

Front and center by the gift shop is a display on the summer of 1969 Apollo 11 mission. Nearby are magazines and photos of the time, as well as model cars from the 1960s.

"I was 10 in 1960," she recalls, not knowing much history until President John Kennedy was killed in Texas.

This Mustang convertible is part of the exhibit.

"And we have people playing bridge and smoking. These were the so-called normal people," she added of displayed mannequins by the front of the building.

"We're showing the generation gap here," Thackston said of mannequins of a hippie daughter and her mother "not too happy with her lifestyle. As you can tell it's 'Oh please, mother' from the daughter's expression."

The Ilitch Foundation has loaned several items to the Plymouth museum in honor of the 1968 World Series, including a hat worn by Dick McAuliffe, tickets and programs. A member has loaned confetti thrown from a J.L. Hudson store window that year, and an extensive collection of baseball cards from a member appeals to many visitors.

The museum is open from 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, with a website of plymouthhistory.org. Call (734) 455-8940 for more information.

At the museum train station representation, a lifelike mannequin much like Willie Nelson but in hippie garb awaits a train. The Vietnam conflict is represented with foreign flags, uniforms, photos and a red "My Brother Is There" ball cap.

"You can't have the 1960s without the Beatles," said Thackston, who recalls her dad being apprehensive about the group when she was a girl. There are photos and posters, with one photo showing fighter Muhammad Ali meeting the Beatles.

Exhibits coordinator Mary Thackston started to volunteer at the Plymouth Historical Museum in 2005. Behind her is the Apollo 11 part of the local exhibit.

An Evans 100 Interceptor bicycle, made in Plymouth, is displayed near the Mustang. Toys and women's clothes of the era are shown, with the parlor on the museum Main Street focused on the Kennedy family.

"It's moving to look at," said Thackston, especially of those who were in service in Vietnam. She was among Americans who visited Montreal, Canada, for Expo '67 with a French class trip.

Those who visited the Grande Ballroom for music may recall Jimi Hendrix and Big Brother Holding Co., as Thackston does. The Woodstock concert is represented, along with national and local politics.

Of the candy boxes shown now and a 1950s exhibit last year, she says "I kind of liked

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Amazon to purchase 100,000 Plymouth-made trucks

Rivian, the electric vehicle company in Plymouth, has received an order for 100,000 electric delivery vans from Amazon.

Amazon CEO Jeff Bezos announced the order during an event last week in Washington, D.C. when Bezos also unveiled a plan to tackle climate change. Bezos said he expects the 100,000 Rivian vans to be on the road by 2024, according to USA Today. The first vans will hit the road in 2021, Bezos said, with prototypes possibly arriving as soon as 2020.

Rivian is a relatively new name in the electric vehicle industry, having debuted a pick-up truck and SUV at the end of November last year. The company was originally founded to manufacture a vehicle to compete with the Tesla, Rivian CEO RJ Scaringe eventually pivoted the company toward a more action-adventure customer segment.

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The main push of Rivian this year has been a massive fundraising effort, with the company securing investments from a host of major players, Amazon included. Bezos' company led a $700 million funding round last February, but it did not disclose the exact amount it was contributing. In April, Ford announced a $500 million investment in Rivian that the companies said would result in a new electric vehicle to be sold by the auto giant. Most recently, Rivian landed a $350 million investment from Cox Automotive, a big name in the retail and logistics space.

Rivian has revealed two vehicles to date, the R1T pickup and the R1S SUV. Built on the same technological platform, Rivian claims its vehicles - which will start at around $70,000 - will be able to travel up to 400 miles on a single charge, hit 60 miles per hour in under three seconds, and eventually be able to drive themselves in some capacity.

Bezos' announcement reveals a third vehicle in the Rivian lineup: a delivery van. It suggests the startup will also be looking into commercial vehicles.

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Residents in the Belleville community and surrounding areas will have the opportunity to receive free dental services at The Lakes Dental Care on Friday, Oct. 11.

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Canton Community Foundation members are looking for folks to join them on the PORCH, acronym for Providing Others with Renewed Confidence and Hope.

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THE PLYMOUTH EAGLE
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THE ROMULUS ROMAN
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Construction continues on the new 34th District Court building next to Romulus City Hall on Wayne Road. Construction is expected to be complete early next year.

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THE WAYNE EAGLE
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The Wayne Chamber of Commerce is seeking nominations for four new board members to help strengthen the organization.

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THE WESTLAND EAGLE
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The newest Westland police officers are familiar faces at the police station as all three worked as part-time Police Service Aide before completing the police academy.

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INKSTER - NORTHVILLE

Trick or Feet, Walk & Roll event planned

A Halloween-themed event providing a spooktacular kickoff to fall and fun for the whole family is set for Oct. 6 at Maybury State Park in Northville.

The annual Trick or Feet, Run Walk & Roll will include a live DJ, refreshments, face painting, temporary tattoos, pumpkin painting, and a magician to entertain younger visitors. Visitors can enter one of four costume contests to win prizes: Best Individual Costume, Best Group Costume (3-8 people), Best Kid Costume (age 12 and under), and Cutest Furry Friend. Dogs on leashes are welcome to attend.

The National Kidney Foundation of Michigan (NKFM) is supporting the more than 300 runners and walkers expected at the event during which participants can choose a 5k or 10k course while children 12 and younger can do a ¼ mile Mini-Monster Dash. The race begins promptly at 10 a.m. and the ¼ Mile Mini-Monster Dash begins at 11:30 a.m. Registration is $35 for the 5k, $45 for the 10k, and $10 for the Mini-Monster Dash. Participants can register before the event online at www.nkfm.org/TrickorFeet or on the day of the event from 9-10 a.m.

> *"Come celebrate fall with family and friends in a fun atmosphere at the beautiful Maybury State Park.*

All race participants receive a t-shirt and finishing medal. The top three male and female runners in each age group will also receive awards. A recreational passport is required to enter the state park. For more information, visit www.michigan.gov/recreationpassport. Recreational passports can be purchased at the Eight Mile Road entrance to Maybury State Park.

"Our Trick or Feet! Goal this year is to raise $25,000 to prevent and fight kidney disease," said Kathy McGrath, NKFM development specialist. "Come celebrate fall with family and friends in a fun atmosphere at the beautiful Maybury State Park. We encourage everyone in the community to join us!"

HAP will again be the presenting sponsor of the 2019 Trick or Feet! Additional sponsors include the Henry Ford Transplant Institute, Greenfield Health Systems, American Renal Associates, and the University of Michigan Transplant Center.

For more information about Trick or Feet! 5k/10k Run, Walk & Roll, visit www.nkfm.org/TrickorFeet or contact Jessica Harter at the National Kidney Foundation of Michigan, (734) 222-9800 or jharter@nkfm.org. Maybury State Park is located at 49575 Eight Mile Road in Northville.

Ex-convict is charged in fatal shooting

A convicted felon from Wayne has been arrested and charged with the Friday, the 13th killing of an Inkster man.

Cleve Ransaw, 26, of Wayne now faces multiple charges in the shooting of a 27-year-old Joseph Kenneth Benson on Western Street near Oakwood at about 11:30 p.m. Sept. 13. When Inkster police officers arrived at the scene, they discovered Benson lying in the street suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. He was pronounced dead at the scene and his remains transported by emergency responders, according to police reports of the incident. Police said the shooting was an escalation of an altercation between the two men that took place earlier the previous evening. Prosecutors also allege that Ransaw took cash from Benson and that the two were acquainted.

Police and evidence technicians from the FBI executed a warrant at a Westland location gathering evidence in the investigation, police said.

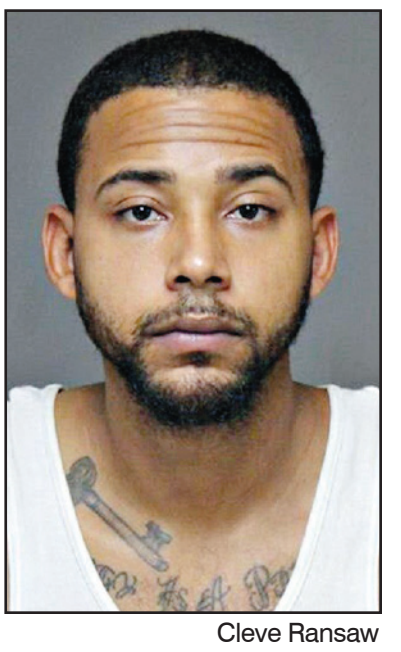
Ransaw was arrested Sept. 20 and arraigned by video in 22nd District Court in Inkster on an eight-count felony warrant.

The judge ordered him held without bond and remanded to the Wayne County Jail until his next court appearance set for Sept. 25 before Judge Sabrina Johnson at the 22nd District Court.

Ransaw faces charges of felony murder, first-degree murder, armed robbery, assault with a deadly weapon, three counts of felony firearm and as a habitual offender-second offense.

State records from the Department of Corrections indicate that Ransaw was released from prison on March 15 after serving five 1/2 years of a maximum 15-year sentence for armed robbery and felony firearm.

He was also convicted of delivery/manufacturing a controlled substance, cocaine, less than 50 grams and possession of a controlled substance, cocaine, less than 25 grams-both crimes occurred while he was in custody, according to state records.



Cleve Ransaw

Genealogists welcome speaker

Members of the Northville Genealogy Society will meet beginning at 1:15 p.m. Oct. 13 at the Northville District Library located at 212 W. Cady St., Northville.

A roundtable discussion on Family Search hints begins at 1:15 p.m. and Bernadette Bartlett from the Library of Michigan, will speak at 3 p.m. about Using Michigan Documents including the Pioneer and Historical Collection.

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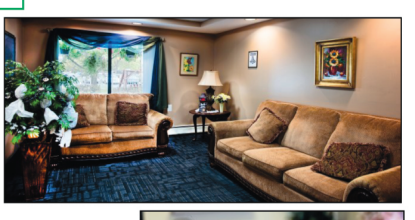

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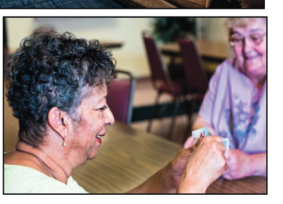

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SYNOPSIS
REGULAR MEETING
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

DATE: Thursday, September 19, 2019
TIME: 7:00 p.m.
PLACE: 44405 Six Mile Road
CALL TO ORDER: Supervisor Nix called the meeting to order at 7:11 p.m.

PRESENT: Robert R. Nix II, Supervisor; Marjorie F. Banner, Clerk; Fred Shadko, Treasurer; Scott Frush, Trustee; Symantha Heath, Trustee; Mindy Herrmann, Trustee; Christopher Roosen, Trustee

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

1. **Agendas:**
   - **A.** Regular Agenda and the Consent Agenda items - Approved
2. **Appointments, Presentations, Resolutions & Announcements:**
   - **A.** Landfill Working Committee Report - Presented
3. **Public Hearing:**
   - **A.** Public Hearings for the 2020 Budget on October 10, 2019 at 6 p.m. and October 17, 2019 at 7 p.m. - Approved & Set
4. **Brief Public Comments:** One member of the audience had comments for the Board of Trustees.
5. **New Business:**
   - **A.** Village at Northville PUD Amendment #3 - Approved
   - **B.** Village at Northville PUD Amendment #4 - Partially Approved with conditions
   - **C.** Temporary Sign Request - Maybury Farm - Approved
   - ~~**D.** Professional Services - Parks & Rec Capital Needs Assessment Withdrawn~~
6. **Unfinished Business:** None
7. **Ordinances:**
   - **A.** Zoning Ordinance Amendments - Article 33 & 37 - Adopted
8. **Check Registry:**
   - **A.** In the amount of $ 3,321,566.28 for the period of August 3, 2019 to September 6, 2019. - Approved
9. **Board Communication & Reports:**
   - **A.** Robert R. Nix II, Marjorie Banner, Fred Shadko, Scott Frush, Symantha Heath, Mindy Herrmann, Christopher Roosen, Chip Snider
10. **Any other business for the Board of Trustees:** None
11. **ADJOURN:** Meeting adjourned at 9:31 p.m.

A draft of the minutes will be available on October 1, 2019.
Respectfully submitted:
Robert R. Nix II, Supervisor
Marjorie F. Banner, Clerk

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SYNOPSIS
September 19, 2019
SPECIAL JOINT STUDY SESSION
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES & PLANNING COMMISSION

DATE: Thursday, September 19, 2019
TIME: 5:30 p.m.
PLACE: 44405 Six Mile Road
CALL TO ORDER: Supervisor Nix called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.

PRESENT: Robert R. Nix II, Supervisor; Marjorie F. Banner, Clerk; Fred Shadko, Treasurer; Timothy Guerriero, PC; Eric Lark, PC; Symantha Heath, Trustee; Mindy Herrmann, Trustee; Christopher Roosen, Trustee; George McCarthy, PC; Jayne Watson, PC

ABSENT: Scott Frush, Trustee; Timothy Zawodny, PC; Lisa Anderson, PC

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

1. **Village at Northville PUD #4** - The Board of Trustees, Planning Commissioners and Village at Northville Development Team discussed the proposed PUD amendments to the loft's building elevations, perimeter setbacks and parking requirements.
2. **Brief Public Comments:** None
3. **Any other business for the Board of Trustees:** None
4. **ADJOURN:** Meeting adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

A draft of the minutes will be available on October 1, 2019.
Respectfully submitted:
Robert R. Nix II, Supervisor
Marjorie F. Banner, Clerk

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NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS
OF THE
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

AMENDMENT TO
Zoning Ordinance Article 33.6, 37.3 & 37.4

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Charter Township of Northville Board of Trustees approved the adoption of the amendments to Zoning Ordinance Articles 33.6, 37.3 & 37.4 at a Regular Meeting on Thursday, September 19, 2019, at 7:00 P.M. at the Northville Township Hall located at 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48168.

The intent of the amendments is to address the following:

Article 33 - Building Materials

1. To clarify and simplify the current language.
2. Update the list of permitted and prohibited accent building materials.
3. New language has been added regarding the intent of the standards, design, massing and form.
4. Added standards for awnings that include awnings shall not be illuminated, contain words or graphics and be darker color.
5. Added standards for building additions and alterations.
6. Provide the Planning Commission the ability and flexibility to exercise some discretion in approving exceptions on a site by site basis.
7. Clarify that the primary building material would be full dimensional brick.
8. Reduced from 100' to 80' the maximum length of building walls when they should be broken up by use of architectural and design features.

Article 37 - Temporary Uses (Sidewalk Sales)

1. Eliminate the 60 day limitation for sidewalk sales. The ordinance officer has expressed concerns regarding the amount of time and effectiveness of being able to enforce and monitor compliance with the current 60 day time limit.
2. Limit the amount of store frontage the sidewalk sale can occupy to 75% of the sidewalk in front of the store.
3. Remove the requirement that sale merchandise must be brought inside overnight. Things like pumpkins, Christmas trees, merchandise at Cantoro's and live plants at Farmer Jacks are not easily brought inside each night.
4. Add the requirement for fire suppression when sidewalk sales occur under covered walkways or canopies.
5. Require structures associated with the outdoor display to have a finished appearance that is consistent with the image of the building. Pallets shall not be used for displays.
6. Require an annual permit, conditions will be clearly defined.

The introduction of the amendment was approved at the Board of Trustees Regular Meeting held on August 15, 2019.

A copy of the full Ordinance and amendment can be viewed during normal business hours of 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Office of the Township Clerk, Northville Township Hall, 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48168 or on the township's website: www.twp.northville.mi.us .

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance as passed by the Charter Township of Northville Board of Trustees at a Regular Meeting held at Township Hall on the 19th day of September, 2019.

Marjorie F. Banner
Clerk

Introduced: 8-15-19
Second Reading: 9-19-19
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CANTON - PLYMOUTH

Monster Mash

Annual Halloween celebration is set

The 21 and older crowd are expected at the Second Annual Cherry Hill Village Monster Mash beginning at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 19 at The Village Theater at Cherry Hill in Canton

The adult Halloween party will feature favorite top 40 hits and Halloween covers by Atomic Radio. Guests can also participate in a costume contest, cash bar, and refreshments. Audiences will be treated to a unique experience as the main focus of the event will be a dance party on stage where there will be a bar and tables for seating in between dancing.

"The event is designed to give the local community a non-traditional and 100 percent fun, theatrical event that is inclusive and intended to bring everyone together for a night celebrating Halloween without having to travel outside of Canton," stated Joe Kvoriak, Performing Arts coordinator. "Community members have been eager for this type of adult event, featuring costumes and cocktails, as well as great dance music."

Tickets for the event are $15 for Canton residents and $20 for non-residents. Purchase tickets online at www.cantonvillagetheater.org or by calling (734) 394-5300. Tickets can also be purchased at The Village Theater Box Office one hour prior to event time.

The Village Theater at Cherry Hill is located at 50400 Cherry Hill Road, Canton. For additional information, visit www.cantonvillagetheater.org or call the number above.

Cherry Hill Village Monster Mash participants enjoy the spookiest holiday season of the year during this special event at Canton's Village Theater. (Photos courtesy of Laura Mortier).

Community Foundation seeks PORCH volunteers

Canton Community Foundation members are looking for folks to join them on the PORCH.

PORCH is an acronym for Providing Others with Renewed Confidence and Hope, and follows a needs assessment completed about a year ago, said Mili Tandon of the foundation. The study found "loneliness in the community" and a need to "to help alleviate the problem of social isolation."

Volunteers age 18 and up are being sought in the Plymouth-Canton area, with plans to reach out geographically later on. The designated Friend is the trained volunteer who will visit those in the program, said Tandon, while the designated Neighbor is the person getting the visit.

Tandon has been with the Canton Community Foundation some three years, and as the developmental associate started PORCH work about six months ago. She's using Facebook, LinkedIn and Twitter to reach volunteers. Anyone interested is welcome to call the foundation at (734) 495-1200 for help filling out the volunteer form.

Background checks are performed for volunteers, followed by training: "And you are ready to help," said Tandon. "One of the problems that became clear is there's social isolation which can lead to drug abuse, depression, it all results into mental illness.

"We are just open for everyone to approach us. We would be happy to help them understand there's many ways to become a volunteer for PORCH," Tandon said.

The Canton Community Foundation website at www.cantonfoundation.org has the form. Volunteers will visit their Neighbor once a week for an hour, for at least three months.

Training starting next month and will include two Canton Community Foundation board members who are also on the PORCH committee, Crystal Schroeder and Patty Esselink, who serves as a Canton policewoman in addition to her foundation volunteer work.

The mannequin resembling musician Willie Nelson welcomes visitors.

Museum volunteers provide historical research

Museum exhibits done right take research, and volunteers at the Plymouth Historical Museum are happy to help.

Dan Packer, among those working in museum archives, is one of those volunteer researchers who helps Exhibits Coordinator Mary Thackston.

"She'll have a theme or an idea. We'll find newspaper articles, books, anything of a paper nature. Pictures, lots of pictures."

> *Plymouth High School graduating class photos go back to 1886:*
> *"There were nine members in that class."*

He helped research the 1960s history exhibit running now through Nov. 6. "It's historical in nature," says Livonia resident Packer, formerly of Plymouth.

The archives, at 155 S. Main, have records of early Plymouth, with an extensive collection on President Abraham Lincoln with artifacts and more than 500 books. Local newspapers are available to researchers and date back to the early 1900s.

Some residents have a house title "indicating one of the founding fathers of our town," said Packer. They can research the history of their home.

Plymouth High School graduating class photos go back to 1886: "There were nine members in that class," Packer said.

The museum website at plymouthhistory.org has more on the Plymouth museum, which also welcomes a wide variety of volunteer help.

Museum

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the '50s candy better."

Comics including Superman and Superman's Pal Jimmy Olsen are shown, as well as Mad magazine, still in publication. Bikinis and paper clothes of the era are shown in the dressmaker's window.

TV shows including "The Flintstones" and more are listed on one exhibit sign. The Revolutionary '60s will continue at the Plymouth Historical Museum through Nov. 6.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed proposals at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, October 17, 2019 for the following:

TIMEKEEPING AND SCHEDULING SYSTEM - REBID

Proposals may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department, on the MITN Purchasing Group website at https://www.bidnetdirect.com/mitn/cantontownship or you may contact Mike Sheppard at: 734/394-5225. All proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of proposal opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

MICHAEL SIEGRIST, CLERK

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Charter Township of Canton will provide necessary, reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon notice to the Charter Township of Canton.

In accordance with the requirements of Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 ("ADA"), the Charter Township of Canton will not discriminate against qualified individuals with disabilities on the basis of disability in its services, programs, or activities.

Employment: The Charter Township of Canton does not discriminate on the basis of disability in its hiring or employment practices and complies with all regulations promulgated by the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission under Title II of the ADA.

Effective Communication: The Charter Township of Canton will generally, upon request, provide appropriate aids and services leading to effective communication for qualified persons with disabilities so they can participate equally in the Charter Township of Canton's programs, services, and activities, including qualified sign language interpreters, documents in Braille, and other ways of making information and communications accessible to people who have speech, hearing, or vision impairments.

Modifications to Policies and Procedures: The Charter Township of Canton will make all reasonable modifications to policies and programs to ensure that people with disabilities have an equal opportunity to enjoy all of its programs, services, and activities. For example, individuals with service animals are welcomed in the Charter Township of Canton's offices, even where pets are generally prohibited.

Anyone who requires an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication, or a modification of policies or procedures to participate in a program, service, or activity of the Charter Township of Canton should contact the office of Barb Brouillette, Human Resources Coordinator, Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188, (734) 394-5260 as soon as possible but no later than 48 hours before the scheduled event.

The ADA does not require the Charter Township of Canton to take any action that would fundamentally alter the nature of its programs or services, or impose an undue financial or administrative burden.

Complaints that a program, service, or activity of the Charter Township of Canton is not accessible to persons with disabilities should be directed to Barb Brouillette, Human Resources Coordinator, Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188, (734) 394-5260.

The Charter Township of Canton will not place a surcharge on a particular individual with a disability or any group of individuals with disabilities to cover the cost of providing auxiliary aids/services or reasonable modifications of policy, such as retrieving items from locations that are open to the public but are not accessible to persons who use wheelchairs.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, October 10, 2019 for the following:

MULTI-FUNCTION RECHARGEABLE LANTERNS

Proposals may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department, on the MITN Purchasing Group website at https://www.bidnetdirect.com/mitn/cantontownship or you may contact Mike Sheppard at: 734/394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

MICHAEL SIEGRIST, CLERK

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, October 10, 2019 for the following:

PURCHASE OF CARDIOVASCULAR EQUIPMENT 2019

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA
OCTOBER 10th, 2019

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals **THURSDAY, October 10, 2019 at 7:00 PM.** The meeting will be held in the Board Room at the Township Administration Building located at 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188.

7:00 P.M.

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Jim Cisek, Vicki Welty, Craig Engel, Greg Greco and James Malinowski.
Alternate: Gregory Demopoulos

Approval of Agenda for October 10th, 2019

Approval of Minutes:
September 12th, 2019 Meeting Minutes

General Calendar:

1. Applicant Robert Rondeau, for property located at 41430 Warren Road, located on the south side of Warren Road between Haggerty and Lilley Roads, Zoning R-5, appealing Ordinance 26.02 Requirements for agricultural and residential districts minimum yard setbacks. Parcel ID 71-041-99-0002-000 (Building)

2. Applicant Dennis Orlewicz and Danielle Daniels, for property located at 43990 Southampton Drive, on the north side of Southampton between Boniface and Bannockburn Roads, Zoning C-4, appealing Article V. fences, wall and borders, Sec. 78-121 Definitions; Sec. 78-131 4(b) Zoning District Restrictions Corner Lots. Parcel ID 71-037-02-0255-000 (Building)

3. Applicant Robert Clark, for property located at 1774 Lanhan Court on the west side of Lanhan Court between Palmer and Glengarry Roads, Zoning R-3, appealing Section 6.03 (D) Site development standards for residential uses; cluster development criteria. Parcel ID71-087-04-0485-000 (Building)

4. Applicant Karen Rose, for property located at 43134 Ryegate, on the north side of Ryegate between Morton Taylor and Emerson Roads, Zoning R-5, appealing Article V. fences, wall and borders, Sec. 78-121 Definitions; Sec. 78-131 4(b) Zoning District Restrictions Corner Lots. Parcel ID71-007-01-0541-000 (Building)

Written comments need to be submitted prior to 4:00 PM on the date of the hearing. All written comments must be sent to the Charter Township of Canton. Clerk's Office, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd., Canton, MI 48188, Phone 734-394-5120.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
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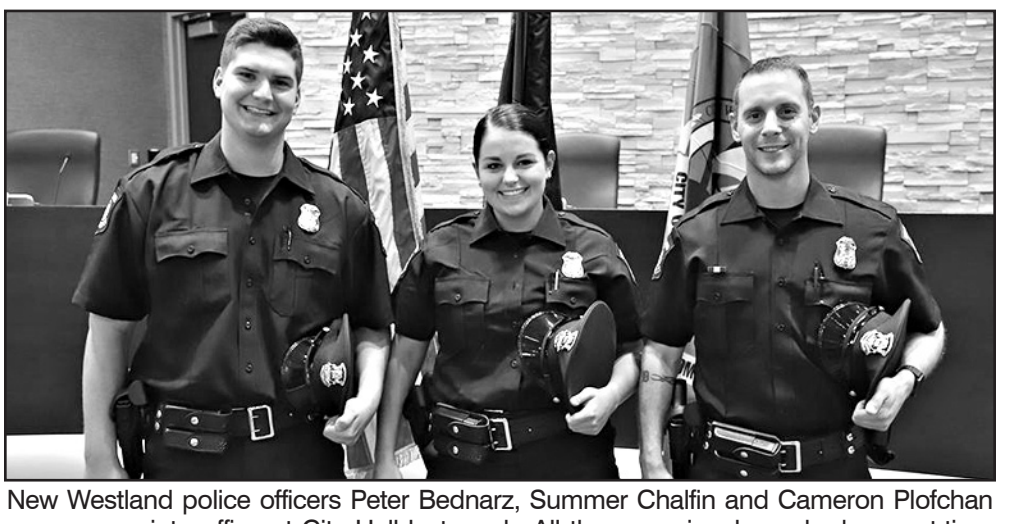
Wayne - Westland

On the job
Former service aides join force


New Westland police officers Peter Bednarz, Summer Chalfin and Cameron Plofchan were sworn into office at City Hall last week. All three previously worked as part-time Police Service Aides in the city.

The newest Westland police officers are familiar faces at the police station.

Each of the three newest officers, sworn in at City Hall ceremonies last week, worked as a part-time Police Service Aide (PSA) before successfully completing the police academy and joining the force.

New Officer Peter Bednarz grew up in the City of Wayne and graduated from Livonia Churchill High School. He served as a Westland PSA for seven years and was a service aide trainer for three years.

In April of 2019, Bednarz received the Westland Police Life Saving Award. Bednarz graduated from the Washtenaw Community College Police Academy in September 2019, where he was appointed to squad leader.

Officer Summer Chalfin graduated from Cabrini Catholic High School in 2015 and then went on to earn a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice with a minor in Psychology from Eastern Michigan University in 2019. She began working as a Westland PSA in May of 2017 and also attended the Washtenaw Community College Police Academy.

Officer Cameron Plofchan grew up in Garden City before eventually moving to the City of Westland. He graduated from Garden City High School in 2014 and then went on to earn an associate's degree in Criminal Justice in 2017. He is currently attending Eastern Michigan University and working toward a bachelor's degree in Public Safety Administration. Plofchan began work as a Westland PSA in February of 2017 and graduated from the Washtenaw Police Academy as a platoon leader.

"All three of these new officers began their careers with the City of Westland as Police Service Aides, working a variety of hours and holidays for very little pay," commented Police Chief Jeff Jedrusik.

"Their commitment to their goals and to the Westland Police Department is what got them here today. All three have built good, hard-working reputations and earned themselves the police service aide chief's exemption, which allowed them each to successfully test against the other applicants and granted them the opportunity to be sponsored through the certifying academy," Jedrusik said.

The chief's sentiments were echoed by Mayor William R. Wild.

"We are extremely proud to welcome these bright, energetic new officers to the Westland ranks," commented Wild. "These individuals will be incredible assets to the Westland Police Department and will set a positive example for young people in the Westland community."

Wayne chamber seeks nominations for board

The Wayne Chamber of Commerce is seeking nominations for four new board members to help strengthen the organization.

According to a prepared release from the organization, the chamber has been working at a deficit of board members for the past three years. While the bylaws of the group allow for nine members of the board of directors, the group has been operating with only four.

There are minimum requirements for nominees for the board. The new board members must be a member in good standing of the chamber and have been a member for no less than a year. Nominees must be able to attend monthly board meetings and attend chamber events and on occasion represent the chamber at community events. The board member will also work with the chamber officials to obtain new memberships and on introducing new resources and tools, giving chamber members the opportunity to promote business.

The nominee with the most votes will serve a three-year seat; the next two nominees will each serve two-year terms and the remaining candidate will serve a one-year term.

Interested candidates should submit their name and a brief biography to the chamber office. Nominations can be submitted by email at info@waynechamber.org or delivered in person to the chamber office.

Super stars

More than 100 visitors crowded the Jefferson Barns Community Vitality Center Aug. 31 to witness Athletes Without Limits play against a team from Arc of Detroit. The charity basketball event was a fundraiser for the Special Olympics Hybrid Basketball Team and was organized by Westland Police Officers Chaim Kozak and Rodney Donald. Athletes Without Limits is a combined group of Special Olympic athletes who travel the world playing other special needs athletes. "Officer Kozak and I were approached by the Arc of Detroit explaining they were in need of funds for traveling expenses, equipment etc.," commented Donald. "We both felt this was important for these special athletes to be able to live out their dreams, thus creating the charity basketball event." The event raised $1,375 through donations, which was awarded to the team at the Sept. 16 Westland City Council meeting.

Westland man facing charges in death of woman

The man who led police to the body of a missing 23-year-old Westland woman will face multiple charges in Third Circuit Court in downtown Detroit.

Anthony Kesteloot, 25, of Westland is charged with tampering with a dead body, obstruction of justice, failing to report the discovery of a dead body and tampering with evidence in a criminal case, all felonies, and a misdemeanor charge of removing a dead body without medical examiner's permission.

The charges are in connection to the death of Olivia Rossi who was reported missing by her family prompting an area-wide search by police. According to police reports, Kesteloot, who was acquainted with Rossi, led police to her partially submerged body in Hines Park on Aug. 23, five days after her family said she left her home with Kesteloot. Prosecutors claim that Kesteloot eventually drove Rossi to his residence in the 29000 block of Manchester Street in Westland.

During his court examination on the charges before Judge Sandra Cicirelli in the 18th District Court, Kesteloot waived his preliminary hearing. Prosecutors indicated that other charges could be forthcoming in the case when the cause and manner of death are determined by the Wayne County Medical Examiner.

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BELLEVILLE - ROMULUS

On the docket

Court finance agreement OK'd as building construction continues

Construction continues on the new 34th District Court building next to Romulus City Hall on Wayne Road. Construction is expected to be complete early next year.

City of Belleville officials have officially agreed to the terms of a funding agreement making the City of Romulus the funding agent for the 34th District Court. The agreement was reached with the support of the office of the Michigan State Court Administrator and has also now been signed by both Sumpter, Van Buren and Huron townships and the cities of Belleville and Romulus.

The new agreement clearly outlines procedures for disbursement of funds and protects all the communities served from any future misreading or misinterpretations and replaces a 1998 agreement which had been verbally modified, leading to a misunderstanding earlier this year.

"The city of Romulus is proud to have brought our neighboring communities together to review this important issue, maintain good faith and to continue to host the 34th District Court," said Romulus Mayor LeRoy Burcroff. "Having long understood and honored the spirit of the agreement, we are grateful to have cemented its intent in an official contract approved by all the neighboring communities. We are pleased with this agreement. This agreement puts to rest any question raised that the City of Romulus acted inappropriately and puts into writing changes implemented by the court, and how such court fees will continue to be administered and disbursed to the communities. Prior to reaching the new agreement, the city of Romulus conducted all financial transactions in accordance with the 1998 agreement," Burcroff added. He said Romulus also received the highest, unqualified audit opinion in a 2018 outside audit conducted by Plante Moran.

Belleville dentist offers free services to public

Residents in the Belleville community and surrounding areas will have the opportunity to receive free dental services at The Lakes Dental Care on Friday, Oct. 11.

Dr. Tracey Upell, Dr. Andrew Atisha and team at The Lakes Dental Care will be improving the oral health of the community as part of Free Dentistry Day, a day dedicated to providing free dental care to the growing number of Americans without dental insurance. According to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, approximately 108 million Americans are living without dental insurance.

"We understand that many people in our community and across the nation haven't been to the dentist for a long period of time. Some don't understand the importance of dental health, but more often than not, they don't have the financial means," said Upell. "This event is a great opportunity for us to share our time and resources with those less fortunate and give back to the community."

There is increasing evidence that links oral health to overall health and well-being. The signs and symptoms of over 100 medical conditions, including diabetes, HIV/AIDS, Lou Gehrig's disease and oral cancer may first be detected through traditional oral examinations, the dentists agreed.

"Dental health is a vital part of a person's overall health," said Atisha. "Through this event, we hope to educate patients on the importance of dental health and encourage them to adopt an ongoing oral care regimen."

During Free Dentistry Day, cleanings and extractions will be provided to patients between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 11 at 6127 Rawsonville Road, Suite 118 in Belleville. The first 150 patients will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Patients must be ages 18 or older to receive treatment. For more information, call (734) 879-1903 or visit www.FreeDentistryDay.org.

"It's very gratifying to see the impact that events like Free Dentistry Day can have on the life of a person. At the same time we're changing their life, they're changing ours," said Upell.

Train delays prompt public safety concerns in Romulus

Kevin Krause, Romulus director of Fire Services and Emergency Management was among those who joined Congresswoman Debbie Dingell (D-MI), Haley Stevens (D-MI), and Tim Walberg (R-MI) to discuss the urgent need to work together to face challenges at a number of railroad crossings in Western Wayne and Monroe Counties. Also at the meeting were Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) Director Paul Ajegba along with several Wayne County mayors and other public safety officials, railroad representatives, and local business leaders

As a manufacturing hub of world, Michigan depends on a strong rail transportation system. There are numerous sites in Southeast Michigan where trains have blocked roadways, at times for hours, causing public safety concerns and serious inconveniences for motorists, especially when trains block intersections for hours which they have on numerous occasions, the officials told railroad representatives.

"Everyone understands there's a problem. Once again we heard devastating stories of lives threatened by blocked train crossings on roads in our community. It's on all of us to work together to figure this out," said Dingell. "Last week in Washington, I met with Federal Railroad Administrator Ronald Batory - who is from Michigan and lived in Dearborn for several years. Our group will continue to meet regularly, be inclusive of everyone affected, and ensure that everyone is on the same page, rowing in the same direction that helps address every community's issues. These problems impact us all, and we need a commitment from everyone on a plan that helps all of us."

"The impacts that train blockages have on local communities are real," said Kause, "First responders are delayed on a regular basis which means our community suffers not only in times of emergency, but also daily as it affects their quality of life. It is imperative that there is a bi-partisan effort between Federal and State Legislators along with Michigan Department of Transportation for collaborative solutions that provide immediate and long term relief."

"For too long, communities in southeast Michigan have dealt with railroad crossings that block roadways for long periods of time," said Stevens. "These blocked roadways aren't just an inconvenience, they put Michiganders in danger by delaying first responders. I look forward to working with state and local leaders to find solutions that prioritize public safety while acknowledging the importance of rail transportation to our manufacturing economy."

This meeting followed a meeting last month where the attendees agreed to establish a working group to address both short-term and long-term issues to be led by Ajegba, Michigan Railroad Association President Jon Cool, Dingell, and other representatives.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS OCTOBER 10, AND OCTOBER 17, 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that **PUBLIC HEARINGS** will be held by the Township Board of Trustees on **Thursday, October 10, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. and Thursday, October 17, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.** at Northville Township Hall, 44405 Six Mile Rd., Northville, MI 48168. The purpose of the hearing is to review the 2020 proposed budget.

All interested residents are invited to attend. Comments and questions concerning the proposed budget will be heard at the public hearing. A copy of the 2020 proposed budget will be available for public inspection at the Township Clerk's office beginning September 27, 2019 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and on the Township's website at www.twp.northville.mi.us.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

Marjorie F. Banner, Clerk
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Calendar of events

Maybury Corn Maze to open

The 10-acre Maybury Farm Corn Maze will open tomorrow, Sept. 27. This year, the farm will also offer a Kids Maze that is approximately 1 acre and will take an estimated 20 minutes to complete.

The Maybury Farm corn maze is open until 10 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays for those brave enough to attempt to find their way through in the dark with just the moon to guide the way.

Admission to the Maybury Farm Corn Maze is $9 per person and includes farm admission and a tractor-drawn wagon ride to and from the maze. Children under 2 are admitted free with an adult. Accommodations for groups of 25 or more can be scheduled at (248) 374-0200. Maybury Farm also offers bonfires that are available during regular business hours or as part of a group reservation.

Maybury Farm is located at 50165 Eight Mile Road in Northville. To learn more about all of the autumn activities at the farm, visit www.mayburyfarm.org.

City-Wide garage sales planned

The City of Inkster will host a city-wide garage sale in the old court house parking lot from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday, Sept. 27 and 28 and from 2-6 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 29. The former court house is located at 27331 South River Dr. in Inkster.

Holiday Tea reservations available

The Canton Historical Society will presents "A Holiday Tea" from 1-3 p.m. Saturday Dec. 7 at the Bartlett-Travis House located at 500 North Ridge Road.

An afternoon tea will be served in a historic Canton house decorated for Christmas accompanied by live music. Tea will include sandwiches and small desserts and visitors can learn a bit about how Christmas in Canton used to be spent.

Tickets are $25 each and available at the Summit on the Park, 46000 Summit Parkway in Canton.

Seating is limited so early ticket reservations are encouraged, organizers said.

Popular musician to appear

Ann Arbor local Annie Bacon - who played A2 Summer Festival nearly sold out her July album release at The Blind Pig - will be playing at The Coffee Bean in Plymouth beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 28 at part of a series of solo shows she is performing with some of her California friends.

The Coffee Bean is located at 884 Penniman Ave, in Plymouth.

For more information, call (734) 454-0178.

Volunteers needed for tree planting

Plymouth Township needs 40 volunteers to plant new trees in McClumpha Park.

Prospective planters have only until Sept. 28 to sign up for the job.

The 15 trees have been purchased with grant money and the community service project is a joint effort supported by Releaf of Michigan, Bosch Corp. and the township. A project forester will teach volunteers about the trees, how to plant them, and guide the actual planting which will take place rain or shine beginning at 8:45 a.m. Oct. 19. For further information, or to sign up to volunteer for this project, contact Joan Witte at (734) 646-0038, or by email at joanmrazik@gmail.com.

117 Project to visit Wayne Church

The 177 Project will be visiting St.Mary Parish in Wayne, on Oct. 1. The program begins with an acoustic concert before moving into a Holy Hour. Confession will be available. The evening starts at 7 pm, and no tickets are necessary. The event is free to attend. A love offering will be taken.

Aly Aleigha will be the artist traveling for this event. For more information, contact St. Mary parish office (734) 721-8745.

Garden Club to meet

Country Garden Club of Northville members will meet at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 2 at Ward Church, 40000 Six Mile Road in Northville.

There will be social time with snacks and speaker Nick Zimmerman will discuss fall container gardening.

There will also be a business meeting. New members are welcome.

For more information, call (248)202-1518.

Plymouth hosts Coffee With A Cop

Residents can join local police officers for coffee and conversation from 8 until 11 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 2 at Grand Traverse Pie Company, 41640 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth Township.

No agenda or speeches, just a chance to ask questions, voice concerns, and get know the officers in the community.

Toast of Wayne event set

Local band, Sugartips, will be entertaining at Toast Wayne, the annual fundraiser for Wayne Main Street, set for 7-10 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 3.

This year, the event will take place at a new venue, the former site of St. Mary's School, 34530 W. Michigan Ave., located next to St. Mary's church in downtown Wayne. The event will feature live music, a curated silent auction, strolling appetizers from local restaurants, along with complimentary bar service. Tickets to Toast Wayne are $35 each or four tickets for $100 and can be purchased at https://downtownwayne.org/toastwayne/

Toast Wayne is a strolling event that features a silent auction and appetizer stations hosted by area restaurants, giving patrons the opportunity to sample local fare for more than 10 local restaurants. Many silent auction prizes will also be donated from local businesses.

Art House exhibit opens

The Northville Art House will present POSE: Portrait and the Costumed Figure featuring portraits and figurative work created in graphite, mixed-media, oil and pastel by 12 female artists.

This free exhibition opens with a reception from 5:30 until 8:30 p.m. Oct. 4 and will continue through Oct. 26 during regular gallery hours, noon until 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and noon until 4 p.m. on Saturday.

Visit www.northvillearthouse.org for more information.

Howl at the Moon planned

The Canton Dog Park will be the site of a howlin' good time during the Howl at the Moon event set for 6-8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 5. The free event will take place at the park located on Denton Road, just north of Cherry Hill Road in Canton.

Dog owners along with their four-legged friends can enjoy live entertainment, purchase merchandise, and receive free giveaways from local pet supply and service vendors, while supplies last.

No pre-registration required for this event. Non-dog park members must show proof of up-to-date vaccination for rabies and DHLLP, signed by an accredited veterinarian, in order to attend this event.

For more information, call (734) 394-5460 or visit www.cantonfun.org.

Mom 2 Mom Sale set

St Edith and St. Collette Church will be the site of a Mom2Mom Sale from 8:30 a.m. until noon on Saturday, Oct. 5.

The church is located at 15089 Newburgh Road in Livonia. Admission to the sale is $2,

Canton Fire Station sets open house

The Canton Fire Department will be hosting the annual Fire Station Open House from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 5 at Fire Station #1, located at 1100 S. Canton Center Road.

This year, the open house will include station tours, a fire vehicle display, and live demonstrations of the department extrication equipment ("jaws of life"). Kids will be able to participate in a scavenger hunt, try on fire gear, and go through the Fire Safety House. Light refreshments and giveaways will be provided.

The open house is scheduled in conjunction with National Fire Prevention Week (Oct. 6-12) to promote fire safety in the community.

For further information contact the Canton Fire Department office at (734) 394-5455.

Church hosts Applefest

St Paul's Lutheran Church will host the New Boston Applefest from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 5 and from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 6.

Vendors applications are still being accepted.

The church is located at 19109 Craig St. in New Boston.For more information, call (734)753-9048 or access https://www.facebook.com/St-Pauls-Lutheran-New-Boston-649223168451449/

Firefighters planning open house

The Romulus Fire Department will host an open house from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 6 at Fire Department Headquarters, 28777 Eureka Road.

The event will take place in conjunction with Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 6 through 12 this year.

Firepup will be on hand to meet visitors and there will be vehicle displays, demonstrations and fire safety handouts.

Annual Cemetery Walk set

The Wayne Historical Society will sponsor the Annual Cemetery Walk from 1-3 p.m. Oct. 6 at Glenwood Cemetery and will highlight several Wayne families and figures.

This is an outdoor walking tour so appropriate dress is suggested.

Donations will be accepted.

Blues at the Elks planned

Blues at The Elks takes place from 7-10 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Plymouth Ann Arbor Elks Lodge 325 in partnership with the Detroit Blues Society. There is a $5 donation requested at the door.

Chris Canas Band will appear Oct. 8, which includes Canas on guitar and vocals, Angela Cottingham on vocals and percussion, Chris Nordham on keys and vocals, Derek Washington on bass and vocals and marc Anthony Guillory on drums.

The Plymouth Ann Arbor Elks Lodge 325 is located at 41700 Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. For more information, call (734) 453-1780.

Fire station to host public tours

Fire Prevention Week begins on Sunday, Oct. 6 and the City of Plymouth is offering free tours of the fire department from Monday, Oct. 7 through Saturday, Oct. 12. Tours are now being scheduled for school groups, neighborhood groups and other organizations.

Several interactive demonstrations will be on display and children and adults can participate in emergency scenarios and learn about household fire hazards.

To schedule a tour, call (734) 453-1234 extension 280 or via email at jdavison@ci.plymouth.mi.us [mailto:jdavison@ci.plymouth.mi.us].

CITY OF ROMULUS
PLANNING COMMISSION
Notice of a Public Hearing for
Miller Pipeline - 6911 Metroplex
Monday, October 21, 2019

Notice is hereby given that the City of Romulus will hold a public hearing at **7:00 p.m.** on **Monday, October 21, 2019** for the purpose of considering the following: SLU-2019-002; **Miller Pipeline** Special Land Use located at 6911 Metroplex (Parcel ID #80- 008-01-0048-300). Special land use approval is requested for outdoor storage for a pipeline utility contractor.

The public hearing will be held at the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus MI 48174-1485.

A copy of the proposed amendments are available in the Planning Department during regular business hours - Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Questions may be addressed to Carol Maise, City Planner, Department of Public Services, 12600 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI 48174-1485 or at 734-955-4530.

Ellen Craig-Bragg, City Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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Notice of Public Hearing
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH, MI
PLANNING COMMISSION

APPLICATION NO.: 2342-0819
APPLICATION: Special Land Use
APPLICANT: Mr. Eugene Sherizen (Maplelawn Ventures, LLC)

PROPOSED ACTION: Consideration and Approval of a Special Land Use
DATE OF HEARING: Wednesday, October 16, 2019
TIME OF HEARING: 7:00 P.M.
PLACE OF HEARING: Plymouth Township Hall, 9955 N. Haggerty Road, Plymouth, MI 48170

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Plymouth has received an application requesting Special Land Use consideration and approval on Tax ID No. R-78-062-01-0020-305, R-78-062-01-0020-308, R-78-062-01-0019-701, and R-78-062-01-0019-702 pursuant to Zoning Ordinance No. 99, as amended. The property is located at 9282 General Drive, south of Ann Arbor Road, west of N. Haggerty Road and east of Lilley Road. The site is zoned the IND, Industrial district. Section 19.2 of the Zoning Ordinance classifies RV storage shelters as a Special Land Use in the IND district. The proposed facility will be an addition to the existing Stow and Go Self Storage Facility.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that persons interested may attend the public hearing and/or send correspondence regarding the application to Plymouth Township Hall, attn.: Carol Martin. Pertinent information relative to the application is on file at the Plymouth Township, Community Development Department (second floor counter) and may be viewed during regular business hours from 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

The Charter Township of Plymouth will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities at the public hearing upon one weeks advance notice by writing or calling the Supervisor's Office, 9955 N. Haggerty Road, Plymouth, MI 48170; (734) 354-3201.

Publish by: On, or before October 1, 2019
Kendra Barberena, Secretary, Planning Commission

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